

Superconductivity of Magnesium Diboride MgB₂

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In January 2001, J. Akimitsu [1], [30] announced superconductivity in magnesium diboride (MgB₂) with a critical temperature of 39K. This caused an excitement in the superconductivity community. At the time of writing these lines, several research groups in the world are investigating the properties of this material.

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